

DATA WAREHOUSE APPLICATIONS FOR
NETWORKS OF SELF-SERVICE MACHINES

Abstract of the Disclosure

5 A network of interconnected self-service machines (SSMs), wherein each of the
SSMs executes a relational database management system (RDBMS) that maintains a
relational database stored on the SSM. The relational databases are partitions of a global
relational database and each partition stores information for only those customers that
frequent the SSM that executes the RDBMS. The relational databases are used to more
10 effectively serve the customer at the SSM and to market products and services to the
customer at the SSM.